

Poet's Corner.

SELECTED.

THE STEERSMAN'S SONG.

WRITTEN AT SEA, BY MOORE.

WHEN freshly blows the northern gale,
And under courses sing we fly;
When lighter breezes swell the sail,
And royals proudly sweep the sky;
'Longside the wheel, unwearied still
I stand, and as my watchful eye
Doth mark the needles faithful thrill,
I think of her I love, and cry,
Port, my boy! port.

When calms delay, or breezes blow
Right from the point we wish to steer;
Right by the wind close haul'd we go,
And strive in vain the port to near;
I think 'tis thus the fates defer
My bliss with one that's far away;
And while remembrance springs to her,
I watch the sail; and, sighing, say,
Thus, my boy! thus.

But see the wind draws kindly aft,
All hands are up, the yards to square,
And now the floating stud'n-fails waft
Our floating ship through wave and air.
Ah! then I think that yet for me
Some breeze of fortune thus may spring;
Some breeze may waft me, love, to thee!
And in that hope I smiling sing,
Steady, boy! so.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Baltimore Fire Insurance Company.

THE Stockholders in this institution are requested to take notice, that the requisite number of shares being subscribed, a meeting will be held for twelve directors, agreeably to charter, at Bryden's Fountain Inn, in the city of Baltimore, on Tuesday, the 9th of February next, from nine to three o'clock of the said day.

By order, JOS. TOWNSEND, Sec'y.
to the Com. of B. C. & C.

January 21, 1808.

Five Dollars Reward.

A TOW BOAT lost, about ten days ago, off Poplar Island, and was supposed to be seen considerably up the bay afterwards, she is fourteen feet long, with a white bottom, and black and yellow mouldings, with green stern, and a ring bolt in each end. Any person taking up said boat, and delivering her to JOSEPH SANDS, Annapolis, or securing her so that the subscriber, living on West river, gets her again, shall receive the above reward.

THOMAS NORRIS, of THOMAS.

January 26, 1808.

State of Maryland, sc.

Anne-Arundel county, Orphans court, January 12, 1808.

ON application by petition, of HENRY WOODWARD, executor of the last will and testament of WILLIAM WOODWARD, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, it is ordered, that he give the notice required by law for creditors to exhibit their claims against the said deceased, and that the same be published once in each week, for the space of six successive weeks, in the Maryland Gazette.

JOHN GASSAWAY, Reg. Wills
for Anne-Arundel county.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE,

THAT the subscriber, of Anne-Arundel county, hath obtained from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, in Maryland, letters testamentary on the personal estate of WILLIAM WOODWARD, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at or before the twentieth day of July next, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my hand, this 12th day of January, 1808.

HENRY WOODWARD, Executor.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber intends petitioning the court of Anne-Arundel county, at their next session, or some one of the judges thereof, in the recess of the court, for the benefit of the act for the relief of insolvent debtors, after this notice shall have been published two months.

JOHN LANE, of SAMUEL.
January 19, 1808.

Prince-George's County, sc.

I HEREBY certify, that JOHN PADGETT brought before me, this day, a dark bay MARE, taken up as a trespassing stray, she is upwards of fourteen hands high, about seven or eight years old, has a large star in the forehead, and a snip, her right hind foot white, and appears to have been branded on the near buttock. Given under my hand, this 4th day of January, 1808.

WM. MARSHALL,

The owner is desired to prove property, pay charges, and take said mare away.

JOHN PADGETT.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Anne-Arundel county, January 20, 1808.
APPLICATION having been made to the subscriber, one of the associate judges of the third judicial district of Maryland, in the recess of Anne-Arundel county court, by the petition, in writing, of HENRY HODGES, of said county, praying for the benefit of the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, on the terms mentioned in said act, a schedule of his property, and a list of his creditors, on oath, as far as he can ascertain them, being annexed to his said petition, and the subscriber being satisfied, by competent testimony, that the said Henry Hodges has resided the two preceding years within the state of Maryland, prior to the passage of said act, and the said Henry Hodges, at the time of presenting his said petition, having produced, in writing, the assent of so many of his creditors as have due to them the amount of two thirds of the debts due by him at the time of preferring his petition; it is ordered by the subscriber, that the said Henry Hodges, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in the Maryland Gazette, at Annapolis, and in some one of the news-papers in the city of Baltimore, weekly, for three months successively before the twenty-third day of April next, give notice to his creditors to appear before the judges of Anne-Arundel county court, at the court-house, in the city of Annapolis, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of the twenty-third day of April next, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, on the said Henry Hodges's then and there taking the oath prescribed by the said act for delivering up his property.

RICHARD H. HARWOOD, One of
the associate judges for the third judicial district of Maryland.

Anne-Arundel county, January 20, 1808.

APPLICATION having been made to the subscriber, one of the associate judges for the third judicial district of Maryland, in the recess of Anne-Arundel county court, by the petition, in writing, of SAMUEL MILLER, of said county, praying for the benefit of the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, on the terms mentioned in the said act, a schedule of his property, and a list of his creditors, on oath, as far as he can ascertain them, being annexed to his said petition, and the subscriber being satisfied, by competent testimony, that the said Samuel Miller has resided the two preceding years within the state of Maryland, prior to the passage of said act; and the said Samuel Miller, at the time of presenting his petition as aforesaid, having produced, in writing, the assent of so many of his creditors as have due to them the amount of two thirds of the debts due by him at the time of preferring his said petition; it is thereupon ordered and adjudged by the subscriber, that the said Samuel Miller, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in the Maryland Gazette, at Annapolis, and in some one of the news-papers of the city of Baltimore, weekly, for three months successively, before the twenty-third day of April next, give notice to his creditors to appear before the judges of Anne-Arundel county court, at the court-house, in the city of Annapolis, at ten o'clock, in the forenoon of the said twenty-third day of April next, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, on the said Samuel Miller's then and there taking the oath prescribed by the said act for delivering up his property.

RICHARD H. HARWOOD, One of
the associate judges for the third judicial district of Maryland.

In CHANCERY, January 19, 1808.

Thomas Tongue,

Francis Darnall, Philip Darnall, and Elizabeth Darnall, heirs of Nicholas L. Darnall, deceased.

THE object of the bill filed in this cause is to obtain a decree for the sale of an equitable interest of the deceased in a part of a tract of land, called Cooley's Fancy, for the payment of debts for which the personal estate is alleged to be insufficient. It is stated by the complainant, that Francis Darnall, one of the defendants, who is the eldest son of Nicholas L. Darnall therein mentioned, and would have been his sole heir if the act to direct descents had not taken place, has appeared and answered the said bill, and the appearance of the said Francis Darnall to the said bill being entered on the docket, it is thereupon, on the application of the complainant, adjudged and ordered, that the complainant, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted at least three weeks successively in the Maryland Gazette before the 20th day of February next, to the end that each of the other heirs of the said Nicholas L. Darnall, who are defendants in the said bill, may have notice of the said bill, and of its substance and objects, and may be warned to appear in the chancery court, on or before the 20th day of June next, in person, or by a solicitor, to shew cause, if any they have, wherefore a decree should not pass as prayed.

NICHOLAS BREWER,
Reg. Cur. Can.

NOTICE.

ALL persons having claims against the estate of Mrs. JANE URQUHART, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, are requested to present them according to law, and those in any manner indebted are requested to make immediate payment, to

ANDERSON WARFIELD, Executor.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of two writs of fieri facias, to me directed out of the court of appeals for the western shore of the State of Maryland, will be exposed to public sale, on Saturday, the 30th instant, on the premises.

THE following tracts or parcels of LAND, situate on Elk-Ridge, in Anne-Arundel county, to wit: Dorsey's Adventure, Dorsey's Inheritance, Good for Little, Resurvey on Good for Little, Chew's Vineyard, and Adam the First, supposed to contain 900 acres, more or less. Seized and taken as the property of Luther Martin, at the suit of the State of Maryland. The sale to commence at 11 o'clock A. M. for cash.

JOSEPH MCENEY, Sheriff of
Anne-Arundel county.
January 1, 1808.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias, to me directed out of the court of appeals for the western shore of the State of Maryland, will be exposed to public sale, on Saturday, the 30th instant, (January) on the premises, at 11 o'clock, A. M. for cash.

THE following tracts or parcels of LAND, situate on Elk-Ridge, in Anne-Arundel county, to wit: Dorsey's Adventure, Dorsey's Inheritance, Good for Little, Resurvey on Good for Little, Chew's Vineyard, and Adam the First, supposed to contain 900 acres; seized and taken as the property of Luther Martin, Esquire, at the suit of John Dorsey, use of Elizabeth Dorsey, executrix of the estate of Dorsey.

JOSEPH MCENEY, Sheriff of
Anne-Arundel county.
January 18, 1808.

Anne-Arundel County, to wit:

CHARLES ELDER, of Anne-Arundel county, having, by petition in writing, applied to the subscriber, chief judge of the third judicial district, in the recess of Anne-Arundel county court, for the benefit of the insolvent laws of the State of Maryland, and having offered to deliver up the whole of his creditors, all his property, real, personal and mixed, (his wearing apparel and bedding for himself and his family excepted) having annexed a schedule of his property, and a list of his creditors, on oath, as far as he can ascertain them, to his said petition, having given notice, previous to his said application, in the manner prescribed and directed by the act of assembly of November session, 1805, entitled, An act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, of his intention to apply for the benefit of the said insolvent laws, and having satisfied the subscriber that he hath resided the two last years preceding the said application within the state of Maryland, and the said Charles Elder being now confined in the prison of Anne-Arundel county; it is, the thirteenth day of January, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and eight, ordered, that the bench of Anne-Arundel county bring the body of the said Charles Elder before me, the underwriter, at my dwelling-house, in the city of Annapolis, on Thursday next, being the fourteenth instant, at 11 o'clock in the morning of said day. Given under my hand, this 13th January, 1808.

JEREMIAH TOWNLEY CHASE.
To Joseph McEney, Sheriff of
Anne-Arundel county.

Anne-Arundel county, to wit:

CHARLES ELDER having appeared before me this 14th of January, 1808, pursuant to the above order, and having taken the oath prescribed by the second section of the act of assembly, entitled, An act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, I do hereby direct, that the said Charles Elder be discharged from imprisonment, and do appoint the 18th day of April next for the said Charles Elder to appear before Anne-Arundel county court, to answer such interrogatories as his creditors, or any of them may propose to him.

JEREMIAH TOWNLEY CHASE,

Chief judge of the third judicial district.
ORDERED, That the said Charles Elder call on the above and foregoing to be published in the Maryland Gazette for six weeks successively.

J. T. CHASE.

This is to give notice,

THAT the subscriber hath obtained from the orphans court of Anne-Arundel county, letters testamentary on the personal estate of RICHARD HIGGINS, late of the county aforesaid, deceased, therefore it is requested that all those who have claims against said estate to bring them in, legally authenticated, and according to law, and all in any manner indebted to the estate to make payment, to

JOSHUA C. HIGGINS, Executor.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber intends petitioning the court of Saint-Mary's county, at their next session, or some one of the judges thereof, in the recess of the court, for the benefit of the act for the relief of insolvent debtors, after this notice shall have been published two months.

January 19, 1808.

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